GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

L/4368/Add.32 19 January 1979 Limited Distribution

Original: English

ARTICLE XIX - ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES

Specialty Steel

Addendum

EXTENSION OF TIME-LIMIT

The following joint communication dated 12 January 1979 has been received from the Permanent Missions of the European Communities and the United States.

GATT document L/4368/Add.29 dated 20 October 1978 contains a communication from the delegation of the European Communities and the United States agreeing to an extension of the ninety-day period set forth in Article XIX:3(a) with respect to the consultations on United States Article XIX action on imports on specialty steel (GATT document L/4368 dated 7 July 1976).

These consultations, however, could not be concluded within the extended period referred to above. Therefore, the United States and the European Communities have agreed that their reciprocal rights and obligations under the General Agreement will be maintained and for this purpose have agreed that the ninety-day period set forth in Article XIX:3(a) shall be considered to expire on 14 April 1979.

